

2012 National Population Projections

NP2012_D1: Projected Population by Single Year of Age, Sex, Race, and Hispanic Origin for the United States: 2012 to 2060

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Sort order of observations: ORIGIN, RACE, SEX, and YEAR

Data fields (in order of appearance):

VARIABLE	DESCRIPTION
ORIGIN	Hispanic origin
RACE	Race
SEX	Sex
YEAR	Year of projection (July 1, 2012 to July 1, 2060)
TOTAL_POP	Population total (all ages combined) in each year
(POP_0, POP_1, ...POP_99, POP_100)	Population age x as of July 1 (columns for ages 0, 1, 2, ...98, 99, 100 or more years old)

The key for ORIGIN is as follows:

- 0 = Total
- 1 = Not Hispanic
- 2 = Hispanic

The key for RACE is as follows:

- 0 = All races (codes 1 through 6)
- 1 = White alone
- 2 = Black alone
- 3 = AIAN alone
- 4 = Asian alone
- 5 = NHPI alone
- 6 = Two or More Races
- 7 = White alone or in combination
- 8 = Black alone or in combination
- 9 = AIAN alone or in combination
- 10 = Asian alone or in combination
- 11 = NHPI alone or in combination

The key for SEX is as follows:

- 0 = Both sexes
- 1 = Male
- 2 = Female

NOTE: Hispanic origin is considered an ethnicity, not a race. Hispanics may be of any race.

'In combination' means in combination with one or more other races. The sum of the five race groups (RACE codes 7 through 11) adds to more than the total population because individuals may report more than one race.

The projections generally do not precisely agree with population estimates available elsewhere on the Census Bureau website for methodological reasons. Where both estimates and projections are available for a given time reference, we recommend that you use the population estimates as the measure of the current population.

ABBREVIATIONS: Black = Black or African American; AIAN = American Indian and Alaska Native; NHPI = Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander